

FEE TRANSMITTAL

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**Title of
Invention**OXIDIZED TANTALUM NITRIDE AS AN IMPROVED HARDMASK IN
DUAL-DAMASCENE PROCESSING

Application Number :

Date :

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TOTAL FEE AUTHORIZED \$ 810

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BASIC FILING FEE

| Fee Description | Fee Code | Amount \$ | Fee Paid \$ |
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| Utility Filing Fee | 1001 | 770 | 770 |
| Subtotal For Basic Filing Fees: \$ 770 | | | |

EXTRA CLAIM FEES

| Fee Description | Extra Claim | Fee Code | Amount \$ | Fee Paid \$ |
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| Total Claims : 18 | 0 | 1202 | 18 | 0 |
| Independent Claims : 3 | 0 | 1201 | 86 | 0 |
| Subtotal For Extra Claims Fees: \$ 0 | | | | |

ASSIGNMENT FEES

| Fee Description | Property Number | Quantity | Fee Code | Amount \$ | Fee Paid \$ |
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| Recording Each Patent Assignment Per Property Fee | 00000000 | 1 | 8021 | 40 | 40 |
| Subtotal For Additional Fees: \$40 | | | | | |

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Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 C.F.R. Sections 1.16 and 1.17.